

Senate Resolution 11

By: Senator Seabaugh of the 28th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Georgia Golf Hall of Fame player Mr. Allen Michael Doyle; and
2 for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Allen Michael Doyle is a six time Georgia State Amateur champion, a three
4 time member of the World Amateur team representing the United States, and was the number
5 one ranked amateur golfer in the U.S. in 1994; and

6 WHEREAS, Allen Doyle joined the Nike Tour during his first year as a professional golfer and
7 won three events including the Nike Tour Championship, finished third on the money list for
8 his rookie season, and was the leading money winner in his third season on the champions tour;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, he has won four Senior major golf championships, including one Senior PGA
11 Championship, one Senior Players Championship, and two Senior U.S. Opens, and is the two
12 time defending Senior U.S. Open champion; and

13 WHEREAS, he is widely respected and admired for his talent, dedication, and passion for the
14 game of golf, and he has received numerous accolades for his many contributions to this sport,
15 including induction into the Georgia Golf Hall of Fame; and

16 WHEREAS, he is personally involved in a number of exceptional charity projects, including
17 the First Tee of Troup County, Georgia, a nonprofit program that provides golfing facilities and
18 educational programs to children of all backgrounds, boasting an estimated participation of
19 800 children in 2006; and

20 WHEREAS, Mr. Doyle received \$1 million for winning the Charles Schwab Cup in 2001 as
21 the tour's leading money winner, yet he donated the prize in its entirety to various charities;
22 and

1 WHEREAS, Mr. Doyle is highly esteemed by fellow golf professionals, and his many
2 outstanding achievements are an inspiration to all who love this game.

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body join
4 in commending Mr. Allen Michael Doyle on a brilliant professional golfing career and for his
5 many generous contributions to the State of Georgia.

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed to
7 transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Allen Michael Doyle.